

## MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

—E. T. Fish cut his hand on a glass while opening a window.

—Mrs. Milly McClure, who has been ill for some time, is recovering.

—Dr. E. J. Brown was elected lieutenant State commander at the recent Grand Tent meeting in Lexington.

—North street has been widened and opened up from Richmond street to Colyer addition and connects with Taylor Avenue.

—The J. C. Brown, who was killed by a train at London a few nights since, is not Jim Brown from this county as at first supposed.

—Two cabins were burned just North of town. One a week since, the other Wednesday night. Both thought to have been incendiary.

—James Parker, who had his arm amputated at the shoulder a few days since, is in a critical condition. It is thought the operation was delayed too long.

—The music class of the Institute, taught by the accomplished Miss May Miller, is rapidly increasing in numbers. Our citizens may expect a brilliant musical entertainment at the close of the school.

—Mr. George Cook, a prosperous merchant of Lexington, was in town this week. Mr. Sam Ward, the hustling candidate for representative, is again reviewing the hills and valleys of Rockcastle. Mr. M. F. Brinkley, the popular candidate for register of the land office, is greeting his many friends here this week.

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## HUSTONVILLE.

—"Doc" Drye will probably handle some fine horses this year.

—J. B. Cook was over from Lawrenceburg last week and spent several days with his sisters here.

—Dr. Alcorn was called by telegram to Newport to see J. B. Adams, who has been quite ill for some time.

—Bro. Bacher returned to Perryville Monday, after preaching one week. There were three additions and one infant baptized. Uncle Joe Hopper is continuing the good work.

—M. E. Allen's wagon team ran off the other day, but fortunately no damage was done save knocking down the steps outside of Mr. Steele's store and breaking the wagon tongue.

—The editor of the L. J. spoke of having Mr. Watterson lecture at the opera house, and we can safely promise he will visit Hustonville well represented if he will only get the great man to speak there.

—Willie Kennedy and Jim Clarkson, while returning from a visit to their best girls some nights ago, were thrown from the buggy and pretty badly bruised up. So much for going courting on a dark night.

—Mr. Geo. B. Cooper was up Monday. Mr. E. D. Kennedy went to Lexington last week. Mr. E. C. Walton stopped on his way to and from Liberty, and spent a pleasant time with the Misses Cook. Mrs. E. C. Walton is also the guest of the Misses Cook.

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## MIDDLEBURG, CASEY COUNTY.

—Messrs. Jason Wesley, George Durham, Wm. Bryant and Albert Kilney are attending court at Liberty as witnesses against "Fater John" Henderson for a breach of the peace.

—Rev. Grider, a cousin of Rev. F. Grider, pastor of the M. E. church, will preach at the Baptist church the second Saturday and Sunday, when a full attendance of the membership is requested.

—A Russell county man with a wagon loaded with maple sugar passed through town last week en route to Danville. He tried to dispose of the load here at 10c per pound, but our merchants, like the fellow who prayed for a barrel of pepper, thought it was too much sugar.

—Fishing is fine here. Mike Jones and George Estes went Saturday night and caught a fine string and others have done equally as well. T. Carpenter and Jas. Rose were down from Hustonville Saturday, but they had fishermen's luck. Guess they didn't spit on their bait.

—County Superintendent P. H. Taylor has changed the boundary line between districts Nos. 2 (Middleburg) and 27 (Yosemite) so as to include the whole of the town of Yosemite in Middleburg district, and cures long and loud are being heaped upon the head of the superintendent by the Yosemite people.

—Why not agitate the free turnpike question in this county? It would relieve monotony and give us something new to talk about, if it did no other good. Let us have a candidate for the Legislature of that persuasion. How would Rev. G. C. Smith do? He could handle the subject on the raging stump with that glib tongue of his.

—Democrats carried their entire ticket through in Bridgeport, Conn., by a majority of from 1,000 to 2,500.

—A wind storm almost approaching a tornado swept over Boone county Monday. It badly damaged the hotel at Big Bone Springs, blew 12 hogheads of tobacco into the river at Hamilton, left only one house of the 10 in Lewisburg standing and blew down the Mt. Zion school house.

—Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known, and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A pure medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood; will drive malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion, try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price 50c and \$1 per bottle at A. K. Penny's drug store.

—Two Lives Saved. Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result every thing else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Free trial bottles at G. L. Penny, Exor's Drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.

## L. O. T. M.

The next meeting of the lodge of the Ladies of the Maccabees will be held at Odd Fellows Hall Monday night, 8th. The charter will not be closed for two weeks, at the expiration of which time Mrs. Cora Eves, of Port Huron, Mich., will return to give additional instructions in the secret work of the Order. She came here recently with the highest recommendations, and we all found her to be an excellent lady of unusual intelligence, thoroughly understanding her business, and she made warm friends of all with whom she came in contact. She is doing a noble work and the best wishes of her numerous Stanford friends will ever attend her. A full attendance is requested for next Monday night.

Mrs. ANNIE JAMES, R. K.

## WILLIAMSBURG, WHITLEY COUNTY.

—Arthur, the little son of Mr. R. D. Hill, is quite sick.

—The fishing has been fine in the Cumberland for the past week, but this cold spell will spoil it for a few days.

—Mrs. J. N. Prestidge returned Saturday morning from a two-weeks' visit to her father's, Dr. Clardy, at Hopkinsville.

—Elder J. G. Livingston, of Crab Orchard, will preach here the first Sunday in each month in the future, instead of the fourth.

—Rev. J. N. Prestidge baptized 22 in the Cumberland last Sunday afternoon. They were converts of the meeting held at the Baptist church recently.

—Elissa Boyd, who is indicted in this county for cutting a man by the name of Hill several years ago, was arrested by Sheriff Barnett and lodged in jail last week.

—The new fiscal court is in session this week. Evidently the men are a great improvement over 20 to do the county's business and we hope they are also an improvement in quality.

—Father Feys, of Jellico, was down visiting Col. O'Mara's family this week. Mr. W. K. Darham has been suffering very much with his hand for the last week with blood poisoning.

—Dr. J. D. Adkins is at home after a few weeks' stay in Louisville, where he has been taking a special course in medicine. Mr. M. K. Pennington is at home from Knoxville, where he completed his first year's course in dentistry.

—Our people were considerably alarmed over the small pox being reported in the county last Saturday. Judge Rose had the matter immediately investigated so that the necessary steps might be taken to prevent the spread of it, and it was found to be false.

—Dr. A. A. Willets closed the lecture course Tuesday evening with his entertaining lecture on Sunshine. The Baptist church was well filled to hear him and everybody was very much pleased with the lecture. The committee will arrange for another course next winter.

—The Young People's Baptist Union was held at the Institute here, beginning last Saturday and closing Monday. It was an interesting session and quite a number of visitors were present, among whom were Dr. T. P. Bell, of Nashville; Prof. S. C. Mitchell and Rev. Z. T. Cody, Georgetown; Rev. R. A. Mahan, London; Dr. A. C. Graves, Lebanon; Rev. W. C. Cleveland, Springfield; Drs. W. P. Harvey and J. W. Warder, Louisville, and Judge J. R. Sampson, Middlesboro.

## LONDON, LAUREL COUNTY.

—Miss Jennie Phillips, of West Liberty, is visiting at H. C. Thompson's.

—Miss Cornett, of Williamsburg, visited Miss Lillie Harkleroad this week.

—John L. Phillips returned from a visit to his father at West Liberty and has taken his stand in the Faris & Co.'s store.

—An agent of Wolfe & Co. wholesale whiskey dealers of Louisville was tried before Judge Brown this week, charged with selling whiskey to blind tigers at Pittsburg and was fined \$50 for each offence. Judge Brown has taken a decided stand against the sale of whiskey in this county, and will fight it to the bitter end.

—As stated in your paper, Miss Susie McHargue arose from table Friday and started out of the dining room, when she fell in the floor seemingly with a convulsion. A physician was hastily summoned but she was just breathing her last when he arrived. A post mortem was made by Drs. Ramsey, Pennington and Mason, and her stomach found to contain a large quantity of strychnine. Miss McHargue is a daughter of Sheriff McHargue, who was assassinated in Pulaski county about a year ago. She moved to this place with her mother and another sister shortly after the murder of her father. They have not borne very enviable reputations here and her disgrace doubtless caused her death. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide.

—On Tuesday morning the body of James C. Brown, of Log Mountain, Bell county, was found on the railroad track about 200 yards south of the depot in a horribly mangled condition, having been run over by a train. He was put off 25 by Conductor Delph for refusing to pay his fare, and it is supposed that he attempted to board 26 as it passed here. He was badly drunk when put off 25 and a bottle half full of whiskey was found near his remains. He was identified by Robt. Brown, of Pittsburg, who claimed his body and had it buried.

—That "The wages of sin is death," has been verified in London in the above deaths.

## To the Democrats of Lincoln County.

I am a candidate to represent Lincoln county in the next Legislature of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party. I stand squarely upon the National Democratic platform. Endorse Cleveland and Carlisle. Am for James B. McCrea for U. S. Senator and in favor of Free Turnpikes.

Respectfully,

M. F. NORTH.

—A car load of cut flowers from Los Angeles, Cal., were received at Chicago Wednesday.

## The I. J. Man in the "State of Casey."

It was not my intention to torture our readers with a letter on this trip, but our excellent correspondent, Mr. E. Tarrant, was too busy filling orders for his splendid history of the First Kentucky Cavalry to send a communication this week, and as a substitute for his good letters I offer this feeble effort.

Monday was the first day of circuit court and the usual large crowd was in attendance. It was horse show day too—another attraction which always proves a drawing card in this land where the equine is universally admired. The show was hardly up to the standard, although there were a dozen or more stallions on exhibition. Lincoln county, strange to say, was not represented by a single horse, but several owners were on hand distributing literature, interesting only to breeders.

There were two murder cases on the docket, Allen for killing Barlow and Devers for the murder of Pardon, both of which will likely be tried this court. There were also the usual number of whisky cases, which were being rapidly disposed of when I left. Concealed weapon cases also occupy a good portion of the docket. The women as well as the men violate this law and on Tuesday a Miss Hester was fined \$25 and given 10 days in jail for "packing a pop." It is nothing unusual for the defendant to plead his own cause in the minor cases and some of the questions propounded are indeed amusing.

Three of Lincoln's best citizens were indicted at the last term and are to be tried this court. They are Messrs. Cicero Reynolds and George S. McKinney, of McKinney, for killing quail before the law expired and Mr. James Harper, of Hustonville, who is charged with disturbing the peace. The latter is a very plain piece of malice and he will come out all right, but the bird hunters may catch it for a small amount.

Casey has had a number of burglaries lately and in each case the scamps found and appropriated money. In one night the residences of Messrs. T. W. Wash, Lincoln Wells, J. D. Brown and Col. Lanham were raided and the total amount stolen makes a right snug sum. Mr. Wash's gun, which was sitting at the head of his bed, was missing, but was found next day on his farm.

Green river is being fished day and night now and some good ones are being caught. John B. Carpenter, an old Stanford man, a man told me that he frequently goes out a few moments before breakfast and catches enough fish for his score or more of mill hands. Judge R. J. Breckinridge, Dr. O'ear and Mr. Scott McFerran, of Danville, who are quartered at Mr. John W. Moore's are doing a good deal of fishing, but their success has not been quite so good as that of Mr. Carpenter.

The bank question is being agitated and it looks very probable that one will be organized before long. Mr. George A. Prewitt is the principal mover in Liberty, but there are many prominent men all over the county, who heartily endorse his actions.

Messrs. Robert Fenzel and A. J. Earp, who are repairing watches and taking pictures respectively, are both doing well. The former is located in D. G. Portman & Bros' store, while the latter has a front room in the Exchange Hotel. They are both good workmen and deserve the patronage they are receiving.

Liberty is destined to have poor mail facilities it seems. For years her mail was put off at Kingsville and brought to Yosemite by the jerkwater train, half the time, more or less, however, it for some reason did not arrive and now since the route has been changed it is also very irregular. The Cincinnati train was a little late Monday afternoon and as a consequence the good people got no mail, but were compelled to wait 24 hours longer for it.

It is astonishing what an immense amount of lumber has been taken out of Casey county and still the supply is abundant. I will wager that there are enough ties at Yosemite now to supply all the railroads that will built in Kentucky for the next five years. One agent told me that he had received over 10,000 during the last month and that he hadn't made a shipment since Christmas.

I was glad to be informed by my old friend, Mr. E. Tarrant, that he was doing nicely with his book and that he was about ready to make his second year. The old gentleman spent several years of hard service in preparing it and it is to be hoped that it will make him as much wealth as it is sure to make him fame.

E. C. W.

—A mother deliberately took the lives of her two beautiful little babes, attempted to murder a third and then sought suicide as a climax to her bloody deeds, at Columbus, O. Mrs. Eliza Williams, of Grove City, Ohio, is the woman who played the leading role in the tragedy.

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To the Gentlemen:—We would especially address ourselves on the subject of Clothing. Come and see our new Clothing room with all our new things in Men's, Boys' and Youths' Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishing Goods.

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A good black slicker \$1.25, very fine rubber coat \$1.50 worth \$3. Black cape McIntosh \$3.75 worth \$5.50. Mens' sandals worth 75c for 45c, Ladies' sandals worth 50c for 35c. Boy's knee pant suits for 65c, \$1.10, 1.40, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.50, worth almost double. Mens' and Youths' suits, coat, pants and vest, \$2.50 to \$7.50, worth \$5 to \$15. Mens' fine suits, imported goods, elegantly trimmed and tailor made for \$12.50 to \$15, former price 18 to 25 dollars. These goods are equal to suits that tailors charge double the money for.

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Woolen dress goods in great variety of style and quality and I know that I own them way down below their actual value and will sell them lower than the lowest. Don't buy your dress or silk shirt waist until you see how cheap I will sell them to you! Wash Fabrics I have in all the latest novelties, both in style and color. I have a line of check, striped and figured white goods carried over from last year for half price.

Carpets and Mattings.—My prices on these will surprise you. They are all new, not a single piece of carried over stock.

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INTERVIEWED by a Louisville Post man, Col. R. P. Jacobs, of Danville, says that he is in no sense a candidate for governor. More's the pity, but we take it that he is too patriotic man and too good a democrat to decline the nomination should it for once seek the man. Col. Jacobs is of irreproachable character and in point of ability is second to no man in the State. He would make an ideal candidate and restore the democratic majority to its original and proper dimensions. In the interview the colonel says if the democrats are hunting a new man they could not do better than unite on Judge M. C. Saulsby, of whom he speaks in the highest terms. We agree with him in everything good he can say of our distinguished citizen, but like himself, Judge Saulsby is seeking no political preferment now, content with what his people have given him, and striving to serve them in the most worthy manner. His friends hope yet to see him governor, but at this time he has no desire to enter the contest.

SOME time ago, a Methodist preacher at Los Angeles, Cal., prayed as follows: "O Lord, vouchsafe Thy saving grace to the Librarian of the Los Angeles City Library and cleanse her of all sin and make her a woman worthy of her office." The librarian was wrath and regarding this as a flagrant reflection on her character, she sued the preacher for \$25,000 damages for slander. The defendant claimed that a prayer is a privileged communication, but the judge holds that it is not, when made in public, and that the preacher must present a better plea or pay the woman for the damage he has done her good name. This is a very important decision and preachers who are disposed to be too personal in their petitions had better make a point of it.

THE Louisville Post is making war on the State Board of Equalization, which it claims should hereafter be known as the Board of Usurpation. The board seems to have misunderstood its functions and engaged in the work of getting the treasury out of the hole, by increasing the assessments right and left, when was established merely to equalize assessments, not to increase the aggregate. It has authority to increase or decrease the rate in various counties, but the Legislature could not, if it would delegate the taxing power to any board, however constituted. The board is treading on danger ground and if it goes too far the tax payers may resist the usurpation and refuse to pay taxes at all, and they would be justifiable in such a resolution.

It is just two months till the annual meeting of Kentucky Press Association and yet not a single invitation has been extended by the citizens of any town in the State to come and partake of their hospitality. For our part we are glad that this is thus. Let the editors meet like any other body of co-workers wherever they list, attend to whatever of business they may have on hand and frolic at their own expense like white men, if they must frolic.

THE women of Ohio had their first experience in voting and being voted for, in city elections in Ohio Monday. They waded through the mud and asserted the prerogative of an American citizen in a more manly way than the men and did many things unbecoming the sex that every true man holds in the highest veneration. They seem to have gone wrong politically too, as the republicans scored heavy victories in most of the towns.

THE Japanese do not kiss. They show their affection by rubbing the cheeks together. The little Japs may know a good deal about fighting, but they have a great deal to learn about somethings. It's pretty nice of course to press your cheek against the velvety one of your lady love, but for good old, permeating bliss, a kiss upon her red rosy lips discounts it several to one. Yum, yum.

WHILE posing in front of her mirror, Mrs. Anna Shannon dropped dead at Cincinnati. The dispatch does not say whether death was caused by fright at her own ugliness, or a too sudden flow of conceit to the heart. Either is sufficient to produce death and the coroner's jury was in a dilemma to decide on a verdict.

THE more the people think about it the more the sound money sentiment grows. Gen. Hardin has hurt himself badly in this section by his free silver utterances and our people would not as a general thing touch Senator Blackburn with a 40-foot pole, with his pledge to keep up the fight for the free and unlimited coinage of silver.

Gov. MCKINLEY called on President Cleveland Monday and they had a pleasant interview of half an hour together. The governor is casting wistful eyes towards the White House and wanted to see how it felt to be inside of it.

THE Louisville Ministerial Association discussed the local city government at its last meeting and Revs. Hunt and Christian, of the Baptist church, grew decidedly personal in their remarks, so much so that City Attorney Thurman will have Mr. Hunt indicted for criminal libel and sue him for slander, for charging that he was an habitual drunkard and unfit for his office. Mr. Christian was satisfied to make his remarks of a general nature. He claimed the city government there was as rank as perdition in its rottenness. The city, he held, was governed from the gambling hell, the saloon and the brothel. Since Parkhurst set the gait in New York, the preachers are reforming things with a big R and if they will proceed along the right lines, they can accomplish great good.

P. S.—Mr. Hunt has crawled. He didn't want to be defendant in such a case so he made a public and humble apology.

HAVING failed to oust her in an honorable way, the strikers at Elizabethtown have resorted to the most reprehensible tactics against Mrs. Helm. Charges against her as postmaster have been preferred, which for smallness and meanness of conception, take the whole bakery along with the cake. This kind of guerrilla warfare on a lady and the widow of the leader of the orphan brigade at that, will disgust people all over the country and make the president regret that he ever took a hand against her.

IN the municipal elections in a number of States Monday and Tuesday the republicans seem to have gotten all they went for. At St. Louis the entire republican lay-out was elected, with one exception, and that exception would not have had to be noted save for the fact that the republican nominee was a negro. A white democrat beat him. In the State, however, the democrats did a little better. Out of 44 municipalities democrats carried 25, republicans 9 and mixed tickets the other five.

SEVERAL hundred Nashville democrats signed a call for a mass meeting to protest against the effort to seat Gov. Turney, but his friends captured the assembly and adopted resolutions approving the course of the Legislature. With deep disgust depicted on their countenances, the protestants put on their hats and solemnly marched from the scene. The conspiracy to seat Turney has gone too far to be headed now.

MR. HEADLEY, secretary of State, is trying to explain out of an embarrassing predicament brought about by recent publications of the Tate scandal, but the more he talks the worse he makes matters. He is a candidate for election to the office he now holds by appointment, but his name is Dennis. A bolting democrat in the first place should never have been honored as Gov. Brown honored Mr. Headley.

A GERMAN has invented a rifle that can send a bullet, fired at shoulder height, two miles before its force is spent and at a distance of 2,000 yards would go through the bodies of seven men placed in line. Wars and rumors of wars have put the inventors on their mettle, for the days are not yet come, when the swords shall be beaten into plow shares and spears into pruning hooks.

CHICAGO voted all right for municipal reform, but she went hades, accident and distorted politically. The city council and mayor are republican by large majority, Swift being elected by 41,110. And Chicago has been a democratic city too! How things have changed since the dissolution of Elizabeth?

A RIFT in the cloud no larger than a man's hand discloses a silver lining on the other side. In Wisconsin a democrat was elected to the supreme bench by a majority of 10,000 and one democrat is chosen councilman at St. Louis. Let us give thanks.

AT the election in Rhode Island Wednesday the democrats gained a Senator. They have three now in a total of 35. Oh, we are getting there!

## NEWSY NOTES.

—Three more deaths have occurred in Ashland from small-pox.  
—Miss Martha Clark has been appointed postmaster at Falmouth.  
—The Electric Light Company at Louisville has raised rates 40 per cent.  
—The heaviest snow of the season covered the ground All Fool's Day in Iowa.  
—Mrs. Mary Cornes was murdered in Lewis county by her husband and his mother.  
—It is said the indemnity demanded by Japan of China will be 400,000,000 yen in gold.  
—A hundred ballots have been taken for Senator in Delaware, but the deadlock is unbroken.  
—The Iron Queen, a passenger steamer, burned at Pomeroy, O. A chambermaid lost her life.  
—Gov. Milnes will succeed Julius C. Burrows in Congress from the Third Michigan district.  
—Six men were killed and five injured by the explosion of a boiler in a tannery at Woburn, Mass.  
—Hon. W. J. Stone says that recent publications to the effect that he was about to announce himself a candidate for governor were unauthorized, and that he is not a candidate.

—T. Logan Hocker, a councilman at Lexington, is charged with standing in with city contractors.

—Gov. Stone, of Missouri, has issued a call for a special session of the State Legislature to meet on April 23.

—Gov. Stone, of Missouri, has approved the bill which allows a jury to impose the death penalty for train robbery.

—A skiff containing five men was capsized at Pittsburg, presumably during a drunken fight. Two were drowned.

—A bed of solid rock salt has been discovered at a depth of 630 feet on Joe Jefferson's Island near Abbeyville, La.

—Nearly a million and a half of the assessment of Jefferson county has been knocked off by the State Board of Equalization.

—The public debt March 31 less cash in the Treasury, amounted to \$908,730,016, an increase for the month of \$18,317,105.

—The confession of a negro now in jail at Birmingham has exposed a gang of Alabama outlaws responsible for many crimes.

—Twenty States besides Kentucky are at present suffering with small-pox. So far 373 deaths have occurred as a result of the disease.

—Mexico and Guatemala will not go to war. Their boundary lines, which threatened to cause great trouble, has been settled by arbitration.

—Ben C. Neal was shot and killed in Estill county by Green Miller, who surrendered immediately to the sheriff. The men quarreled over a settlement.

—Dr. Mary Walker, who was dressed in man's clothes, pleaded her own case in her contest of her aunt's will at Northampton, Mass., and the judge decided against her.

—In a quarrel in an Oklahoma hotel over the proper division of the bed clothes, one man shot and killed his roommate and wounded the sheriff who arrested him.

—Maj. Andy Hamilton, Major of the 12th Kentucky Cavalry during the war, and famous for having tunneled out of Libby prison, was found shot to death at Morgantown.

—It is reported at Hawesville that great destitution exists in the Southern part of Hancock county, and that some of the people have eaten horseflesh to keep from starving.

—Mort Deskins, a mountain terror and desperado, was shot and mortally wounded at his home near Salyersville, by Deputy Sheriff N. P. Howard while trying to avoid arrest.

—The treasury books show customs receipts of \$94,249,351.88 during the first seven months of the Wilson law as against \$70,815,400.71 during the last seven months of the McKinley law, notwithstanding the howl of the republicans that it would be reversed.

—Three convicts, two of whom were members of the McCoy-Hatfield gang of desperadoes, attempted to escape from the Eddyville prison, firing on the guards as they ran. They were caught after a chase of about a mile. Two of them, Riley McCoy and Tom Mitchell, were badly wounded.

## CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Lightning struck the Christian church at Benton and badly damaged it.

—Rev. S. K. Foster, pastor of the Baptist church at Somerset, has been called to New Haven, Conn., and will leave shortly for that place.

—C. E. Wrenn, who posed at Biloxi, Miss., as a Baptist minister, has been arrested for bigamy and has confessed to having three living wives.

—Measles have broken out in the Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville and the would-be preachers are wrestling with them instead of doing like Jacob did.

—Elder C. C. Cline has gotten into a controversy with Editor G. A. Denham, of the Williamsburg Times, on the Catholicism question and the fur is flying pretty lively.

—Politics has caused the congregation to demand the resignation of the Rev. William Cleveland, the president's brother, who is pastor of the Presbyterian church at Chaumont, N. Y.

## FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Poland China boards for sale. M. S. Bangham, Stanford.  
—The Paris stallion show Monday had fewer entries than for years.  
—The Louisville colt, Laureate, won the Derby at Little Rock, with ease over a fine field.  
—Polk Bond bought of Hardin Field, of Woodford county, 25 yearling steers at \$15.—Glasgow Times.  
—J. H. Edmiston, of Atlanta, bought a car-load of three-year-old mules from Sam Cecil at \$55.—Advocate.  
—Yates Hudson sold Monte Fox 50 lambs for delivery between May 20th and June 1st at 5c.—Advocate.  
—Charles Fleischman, the millionaire turfman, has made Hankins and Johnson an offer of \$150,000 for Diggs.  
—At Richmond court, cattle sold at 2½ to 4½ cents, and demand great. Plug horses \$16 to \$20. Stallion show small.  
—John Cook has traded his stallion, Gamoor, by Gambetta Wilkes, to Geo. Austin, of Garrard, for four good harness mares and geldings.  
—J. E. Farris will have three stallions in the stud this year: Royal King, Eagle and Chester Denmark. All are splendid saddlers and are well bred. His advertisement will appear in Friday's paper.

—A train of 16 cars of California cattle were received in Omaha last Thursday and sold at \$1.75 for 287 steers averaging 1,145 lbs., with 10 steers at \$1.25, and \$1.05 for 74 heifers averaging 1,041 lbs.

—The April crop report makes the condition of wheat \$5.3, or two points lower than was reported last year immediately after the severe March freezing. The plant is but little farther advanced than it was in December.

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—Horse advertisements are coming in pretty well. In the last week Madison Sandidge & Son, B. F. Powell, T. A. Coulter, J. Steele Carpenter, E. P. Woods and Josiah Bishop have been added to our list. See description and pedigrees of their horses on our sixth page.

## MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Hon. John Harvey Walton and Mrs. Susan Frazee Walton celebrated their golden wedding at Germantown Wednesday. They are the parents of Col. Matt Walton, late of Lancaster.

—"All things come to him who waits" is an adage that has been verified in the case of Mr. James Pepples. After living 67 years in single cussedness, he has at last found a wife, to whom he was yesterday joined in the sacred and holy relation. The bride is Miss Sallie Teaters and she is just 43 years younger than her liege lord. May and December sometimes unite in apparent satisfaction to both parties, and we hope it may prove so in this instance, making the old gentleman's last days his best days.

—Mr. C. C. Breese, the handsome young jeweler, who lived here for several years, was married last Sunday to Miss Kate Jarman, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., where Mr. Breese is in business. It was sort of a runaway affair and after the ceremony at Salem, a local paper says that they returned to Murfreesboro "to sue for parental sanction. Mr. Breese is a well-known and popular young jeweler and has a host of warm friends in that city, while his lovely and beautiful bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Jarman and one of the most attractive young ladies in Murfreesboro."

## OF A LOCAL NATURE.

—Casey county gets a raise of 10 per cent. on land.  
—Miss Jane Shortwell has been appointed postmaster at Tidal Wave, Whitley county.  
—Dr. J. W. Gill, of Danville, died Monday, aged 70. He was a native of Garrard and a grand son of Chief Justice Boyle.  
—The Mercer republicans instructed for Col. W. O. Bradley for governor and so did the Rockcastle republicans.  
—Henry Norvell, who killed a slight-of-performer in Mercer county two years ago, has just been captured in Scott county.  
—Mercer county republicans refused to endorse a colored brother of that county, who is a candidate for Register of the Land Office.  
—S. M. Wilson, of Woodford county, won the primary oratorical contest which makes him Centre's representative in the great Southern Inter-State contest, which will be held at Lexington, Va., early in May.  
—Mr. A. H. Bastin is spreading himself at Crab Orchard. Not content with running one of the largest stores there, he has opened a hotel, the "Bastin House," near the depot, and is prepared to serve the public in the best of style. He has a livery stable also and will haul his patrons to any part of town free. Read his card in this issue and register with him the next time you go to the "Orchard."

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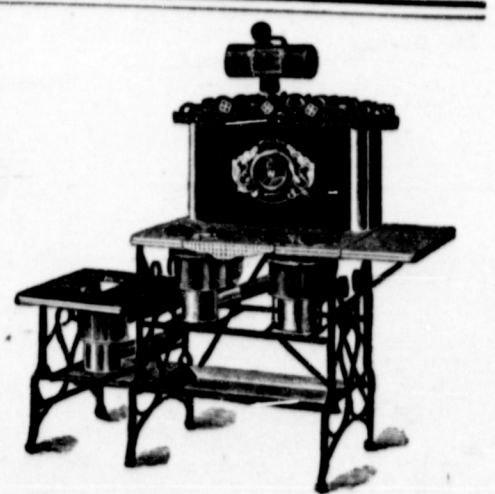
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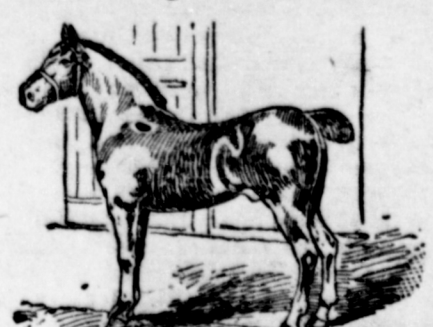
## LIVE STOCK

LIVE STOCK AT WINDSOR CASTLE.

Pictures of Two Horses Belonging to the British Royal Family.

Queen Victoria has always been distinguished as a successful live stock breeder. Her fat bullocks and heavy swine frequently take premiums at the shows and agricultural fairs. At her principal home, Windsor castle, are birds and beasts of many kinds, a regular menagerie, in short.

The Prince of Wales has some live stock. Although Albert Edward has



DUKE OF YORK.

never been so famous as his mother in the live stock breeding line, yet the horse here shown belongs to him and is in its way no slouch.

Perhaps Wales, with the sense of humor uppermost, named this horse for his son and successor, the Duke of York. At any rate, Duke of York is the name of the handsome and showy hackney stallion in the illustration. The duke is as handsome and spirited looking as some of the hackneys imported into the United States by members of our American nobility and reigning families. He is dark chestnut in color. He stretches his hind legs back with the best.

It would take a strain of the imagination to picture good, stout old Queen Vic riding on horseback, and it would require a still greater strain on the part of the horse that could carry her, yet it is a fact that her gracious majesty was once a most graceful rider.

Her favorite riding mare, Jessie, is still kept in great state at Windsor castle and is still trotted out to see her royal



VICTORIA'S RIDING MARE.

mistress occasionally. The late Prince Albert, John Brown and this mare Jessie have probably shared a larger portion of the queen's affections than other creatures. Jessie is now 27 years old. Old as she is, it is quite likely her royal mistress will survive her.

### Winter Live Stock Notes.

The days rapidly lengthen during this month, and however cold the weather may be the farmer feels the pleasant assurance that the time when darkness lasts longer than the light must soon be past. The farmer does not grow anything in winter, but the florist and market gardener find in the lengthening days that it is easier to make healthful growth as the days grow longer. Plenty of heat can be maintained in the days when sunlight is scarce, but it does not make vigorous, healthful growth. No doubt if animal life were observed as closely as the gardener observes his vegetables the advantage of increasing sunlight would be equally obvious. The breeding animals ought to be kept out of doors during a part at least of each sunny day. If this rule were observed, they would be less affected by disease than the most carefully sheltered stock is now liable to be.

A cornstalk diet, to which some corn on the ear is added occasionally, makes a very good feed for cows bearing young and due to calve in the spring. This keeps the bowels reasonably laxative, and there is less likelihood of fever to make parturition difficult and dangerous when its time comes than if the animal is fed on hay. We knew an old farmer who said he made it a practice to give each cow for at least two weeks before calving a dozen rubbins of corn each day to insure easy and safe parturition. In a long experience his cows never gave any trouble at this time, while those who did not make this a practice had cows which suffered from caked bag and milk fever. He was very sure that feeding the corn in the ear was what was responsible for his success.—Exchange.

### Varying Weight of Beef Cattle.

The British Dairy Farmers' association issue a useful summary of their "transactions" in 1894, from which we gather that the mean live weight of the Shorthorns at their shows for the last four years, including that just closed, has varied singularly little. There is a net increase of nine pounds on the four years. Jerseys show only two pounds change, but Guernseys get heavier every year, and the increase from 1890 is a mean 110 pounds per animal, a big change. Ayrshires have similarly gone up from 1,016 to 1,153 pounds, but crossbred cattle have gone down, and there are no definite changes in Red Polls (Norfolk cattle) or in Keries. The last named vary a good deal, but there seems no regular tendency toward reduced or increased mean weight. Of the seven breeds the Shorthorns are the heaviest and then the crossbred cattle. Guernseys, Ayrshires and Red Polls occupy a medium position, and the smallest cattle are the Keries and the Jerseys. In 1893 the Jerseys were smaller than the Keries, but this was reversed last year.

## BREED BIG CARRIAGE HORSES.

The Demand For Them Is Brisker Than Ever.

One remarkable feature of the present unprecedented depression in the horse market is the active and increasingly keen demand for horses of the coaching or carriage type. English and Scotch buyers, French and German buyers, New York and other eastern city buyers have all been quietly but constantly picking up every desirable horse of this class that presented itself during the past year. As business men these buyers very naturally wish to purchase as cheaply as possible, but it is an open secret that if the horse is only good enough—possessing the size, the form, the quality and the action desired—very handsome prices, and in some instances extravagant prices, are being got for them, prices that would seem incredible to the average breeder of ordinary horses.

Now, assuming that those good prices are obtained on account of the scarcity of this class of horses, the question naturally arises, Why this scarcity? How comes it that with the multitudinous herds of almost every conceivable kind of equines which meet us on all hands—many of whom are "fearfully and wonderfully made"—there are really so few specimens fit for carriage purposes? The problem is an interesting and highly important one to consider and does not by any means reflect favorably on our ability and intelligence as breeders.

In conversation with some foreign buyers at the Chicago stockyards recently I culled the following facts—viz: That the demand for certain kinds of American horses is better than ever; that price cuts little figure if only the horses are good enough; that the ones which best fill the bill are produced in various different ways—some from trotting bred sires, some from hackneys and other imported coach breeds, while some of the very best in point of quality have a large infusion of thoroughbred blood. It is of course only natural to suppose that in a country so vast as ours, with mares of such extremely varied types and qualifications, no one stallion or one breed will give uniformly good results. This, in my opinion, is why many otherwise intelligent breeders have become discouraged in the business by want of success, whereas the primary fault lay in their own inability to discriminate and make the proper connection.

For instance, a farmer has two brood mares, both good individuals, but of quite different types. He breeds them both to a certain trotting bred horse with perhaps a good reputation. One raises a good colt, the other rather an inferior one. He sells the dam of the latter, and the new owner breeds her to a good hackney, we shall say, and obtains a carriage horse. Now, where the first mare failed the second easily succeeds, and this knowledge of how to "nick" or blend certain individuals to obtain a desired result is the highest attainable aim of the scientific breeder. Without this knowledge or inspiration our breeders only work in the dark. Their operations are haphazard and in the highest degree uncertain. Most of the discouragements and heartburnings which breeders have experienced in recent years are only the natural result of mistaken ideas or a want of knowledge of the proper essentials of mating. Just as a well balanced ration of feed is indispensable to the highest development of the young animal's physical frame, so an experienced, well balanced judgment, coupled with the requisite knowledge of the science of breeding, is required to make any kind of success in that line. The question of the demand for coach horses resolves itself into the following:

First.—That coaches are wanted and in all human probability will continue to be wanted, at good figures, for many years to come.

Second.—That they are today the only kind of horse in America for which the demand is greater than the supply.

Third.—That the production of such horses offers probably better prospects of remuneration than that of any other kind of live stock.

Fourth.—That quality, style, size and action are indispensable qualifications of good coach horses.

Fifth.—That with the material which this country already possesses and the requisite knowledge in mating, feeding, handling and fitting such horses there is today a most profitable field for the farmers and horse breeders of America.—Alex Galbraith in Horseman.

### Live Stock Points.

There was a fearful glut of inferior sheep at the Chicago Union stockyards last year. It seems as if all the fag ends and tags of sheep ought to be about sold off by this time.

The Trakehner coach horse of Germany is very large, from 16 to 17 hands high and weighing 1,200 to 1,400 pounds. He is a very handsome, spirited animal.

The Gate City Oil company at Atlanta is going heavily into the cattle fattening business. Three thousand cattle were bought in the west some time since to be fattened on cottonseed hulls and oilmeal, and then shipped north to be slaughtered. The beefs are to be scattered among the company's oil pressing mills at various points. It is expected that the cost of fattening per head will be 10 cents a day, and that the operation will take from two to three months.

The average price for beef cattle was 25 cents lower on the hundred for 1894 than for 1893.

Corn is lacking in ash elements, and therefore is not good to feed alone to growing animals.

A writer who pretends to be authority on swine says that when one of his farm animals dies he hauls it to his hog lot for the pigs to fatten on. This is monstrous, horrible.

Disease frequently breaks out among live stock from too much crowding. Give the animals plenty of room.

## A Wandering Gourmet.

Meandering Mike (the tramp)—I am not really hungry, missus, but will be pleased to sample anything you may have in the line of salads. I am traveling through the country getting a few points for a book I am writing on cookery.

The Wife of a Farmer—How do you travel?

Meandering Mike—Well, mostly on foot, as it gives me a better chance to pick up things as I go along.—Truth.

### Politics.

"Madam," began the man who believes in mild means of attaining his ends, "I do not doubt that your shoes are such dainty little things that you have to wear a great big hat to make up the average, but you are unconsciously—shutting off all my view of the stage—"

"Goodness gracious! I declare, I didn't know I was annoying you. I'll take it off right at once."—Cincinnati Tribune.

### He Learned Enough.

Teacher—Yes, children, the hairs of our heads are all numbered.

Smart Boy (pulling out a hair and presenting it)—Well, what is the number of this hair?

Teacher—Number one, Johnny, and (pulling out several more) these are numbers two, three, four, five and six. Anything else you want to know?

Smart Boy—No—no, sir.—Player and Sportsman.

### He Had Had Enough.

Sympathetic Old Gentleman (after the shindy)—Why, my good man, you are frightfully used up! Will you not sue your antagonist for damage?

O'Toole (wiping blood from his face)—Damage, is it? Begorra, wid the loss an ear an' two teet, an' wan av me eyes half gouged out d' yez think Oi haven't damage enough, sor?—Judge.

### A Rural Arithmetician.

"I see by this here paper," said the deacon, "that Molly Spinks is gone an' got married to a count."

"So I've heard," replied his wife, "but I don't see why she didn't stay home and marry Billy; he's purty good at figgers, an' kin count well as any of 'em."—Atlanta Constitution.

### Not Her Fault.

He—What! More money? Why, your extravagance makes my hair stand on end.

She—Makes your hair stand on end? Well, it ain't my fault that you ain't bald headed. If you were your hair wouldn't stand on end.—Texas Siftings.

### Snipping It in the Bud.

Dick Dareligh—You ought to be the happiest of fathers. You have a beautiful daughter that everybody admires.

Old Gruffop (sardonically)—Yes; and pretty soon, I suppose, I shall be having a would-be son-in-law to boot.—N. Y. World.

### Miseries of Wealth.

Binks—There is a man who can afford to hang his overcoat on a fifty-dollar hall-rack instead of suspending it from a nail in the wall.

Winks—How do you know?

Binks—His overcoat is humpbacked.—N. Y. Weekly.

### Analogous.

Student—Isn't it strange that meters and feet are used as a measurement of gas as well as poetry?

Professor—Not at all. Gas first came into general use about the time that modern magazine poetry became prevalent.—Brooklyn Life.

### Practical Application.

Mrs. Workday—I do like to see a strong, determined man.

Mr. Workday (straightening)—So do I, my dear.

Mrs. W.—John, the coal scuttle is empty.—Pearson's Weekly.

### Up to Date.

Don't "sing a song of sixpence,"

That's such a small amount;

But sing a song of millions.

For that will buy a count.—Brooklyn Life.

### A CHEAP WAY TO RAISE FUNDS.



Farmer Hardware—How much will you charge ter telegraph my son \$300 at college?

Operator—Two dollars.

Farmer Hardware—Gosh, that's cheap. Yer's the \$2. Send it quick as lightning.—Chicago Record.

### All One Way.

He—Since I have been studying palmistry I have examined the hands of over fifty young ladies.

She—And what did you find out?

He—That they all had negative temperaments.—Brooklyn Life.

### They Do.

Watts—What do you think of this idea that there are medical virtues in music?

Potts—I believe it. Lots of these new popular airs make me sick.—Indianapolis Journal.

### Did You Ever Try This, Girls?

Jess—Eating onions quite often causes me to get a good night's sleep.

Bess—How so?

Jess—They drive young Staylate away early.—Town Topics.

### Nineteenth Century Sentiment.

He—Will you marry me? I must have your decision at once.

She—Dogsive me a little time to think He—Impossible; I've a cab waiting a the door.—Vogue.

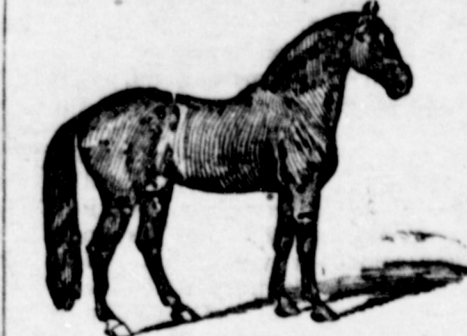
## LIVE STOCK

AN AMERICAN HORSE.

Notable Kentucky Stallion of a Past Generation.

A horse breeding farm on Long Island is going into the business extensively of building up an American-Arabian strain of blood. The design is to make driving and carriage horses and trotters. The enterprise was begun by importing pure bred Arabians and crossing them upon the best Kentucky blood, notably the Morgan and Clay families. The Messenger and Black Hawk strains are also well represented in these American-Arabian animals.

One of the finest of the old Kentucky sires is shown in our illustration, Henry Clay himself. All the families mentioned, the Clay, Messenger, Black Hawk



HENRY CLAY.

and Morgan, derive their endurance and high spirit from the Arabian blood whence they are descended. Through a century of horse generations it has descended. Henry Clay was one of the colts of the famous Lady Surrey that raced with Flora Temple.

Beautiful as Henry Clay was, there are still horses in Kentucky as handsome and as full of spirit. The picture shows, too, that we have had for generations in America horses as fine in every respect as any of the imported hackneys and Cleveland bays so much fuss has been made about. But we have not had enough of them to go around, and that was the trouble. We want enough of the best horse blood to admit of the scrubs being shot for their hides and bones, as has been occasionally done in the west lately.

### Hog Wisdom.

At the Missouri swine breeders' convention the valuable points brought out were as follows:

A small number of pigs at the first farrow cause a failure in the development of a sufficient number of teats, so that subsequent litters will not be supplied with milk for the whole number of pigs. One speaker suggested the plan of borrowing pigs from some other sow in order that a good development might be secured for a particularly fine sow. As to the care needed for a brood sow, it was agreed that this should begin some time before farrowing. Good feed, not too much corn, plenty of exercise, good quarters. The sow should become used to the place where she is expected to farrow some weeks before. After the farrowing care should be taken not to feed too much at first. Give wholesome diet—bran, some slug, not too rich diet, for three or four days after farrowing. The sow should be kept in a clean, dry, comfortable place. She should be kept in a clean, dry, comfortable place. She should be kept in a clean, dry, comfortable place.

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